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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136

A two (2) month extension of time from June 15, 2001, up to and including August 15, 2001, is requested to respond to the Office Action mailed March 15, 2001 (Paper No. 32). A check in the amount of \$390.00 is enclosed in view of the large entity status of the application.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments which may be required to our Deposit Account No. 03-1721.

Respectfully submitted,

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